#### SUBCHAPTER G—CONTRACT MANAGEMENT

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#### Subpart 1542.7—Indirect Cost Rates

#### 1542.703-2 Certificate of indirect costs.

The Head of the Contracting Activity may waive the certification requirement set forth in FAR 42.703–2.

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#### 1542.705 Final indirect cost rates.

- (a) The EPA shall use the Contracting Officer determination procedure for all business units for which it shall be required to negotiate final indirect cost rates.
- (b) Contracting officers shall insert the clause at 1552.242–72, Financial Administrative Contracting officers (FACO), in cost-reimbursement contracts when the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) is the cognizant federal agency and a FACO will be assigned.

[49 FR 8865, Mar. 8, 1984, as amended at 65 FR 58924, Oct. 3, 2000]

### 1542.705-70 Solicitation and contract clause.

The Contracting Officer shall insert the clause in 1552.242–70, Indirect Costs, in solicitations and contracts where indirect costs apply, unless contracting with an educational institution where there are approved predetermined final indirect cost rates.

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## Subpart 1542.12—Novation and Change of Name Agreements

#### 1542.1200 Scope of subpart.

This subpart implements FAR subpart 42.12 and provides policies and procedures for executing and processing novation and change-of-name agreements.

## 1542.1202 Responsibility for executing agreements.

- (a) Any EPA contracting office upon being notified of a successor in interest to, or change of name of, one of its Contractors shall promptly report such information by memorandum to the Director, Policy, Training and Oversight Division (POTD).
- (b) To avoid duplication of effort on the part of EPA contracting offices in preparing and executing agreements to recognize a change of name or successor in interest, only one supplemental agreement will be prepared to effect necessary changes for all contracts between EPA and the Contractor involved. The Chief of the Procurement Policy Branch, Policy, Training and Oversight Division (PTOD), will, in each case, designate the Contracting Office responsible for taking all necessary and appropriate action with respect to either recognizing or not recognizing a successor in interest, or recognizing a change of name agreement.

[49 FR 8865, Mar. 8, 1984, as amended at 55 FR 24580, June 18, 1990; 59 FR 18977, Apr. 21, 1994]

#### 1542.1203 Processing agreements.

- (a) The responsible contracting office shall:
- (1) Obtain from the Contractor a list of all affected contracts, the names and addresses of the contracting offices responsible for these contracts, and the required documentary evidence.
- (2) Verify the accuracy of the list of contracts through the Contract Information System.

- (3) Draft and execute a supplemental agreement to one of the contracts affected but covering all applicable outstanding and incomplete contracts affected by the transfer of assets or change of name. A supplemental agreement number need not be obtained for contracts other than for the one under which the supplemental agreement is written. The supplemental agreement will contain a list of the contracts affected and, for distribution purposes, the names and addresses of the contracting offices having contracts subject to the supplemental agreement.
- (b) Agreements and supporting documents covering successors in interest shall be reviewed for legal sufficiency by legal counsel.
- (c) After execution of the supplemental agreement, the designated office shall forward an authenticated copy of the supplemental agreement to the Director, Policy, Training and Oversight Division, and to each affected contract office.

[49 FR 8865, Mar. 8, 1984, as amended at 59 FR 18977, Apr. 21, 1994]

## PART 1545—GOVERNMENT PROPERTY

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1545.107 Government property clauses.

#### Subpart 1545.3—Providing Government Property to Contractors

1545.309 Providing Government production and research property under special restrictions

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#### Subpart 1545.1—General

## 1545.107 Government property clauses.

- (a) The Contracting Officer shall insert the contract clause at 1552.245–70:
- (1) When it is anticipated that a Contractor will use Government-furnished or Contractor-acquired property in the cleanup of hazardous material as defined in Federal Standard No. 313, or,

the toxic chemicals listed 40 CFR 372.65, in the environment.

- (2) In all cost-type solicitations and contracts regardless of whether Government Property is initially provided, and in all fixed-price solicitations and contracts whenever Government furnished property is provided.
- (b) The Contracting Officer shall insert the contract clause at 1552.245–71, Government-Furnished Data, in any contract in which the Government is to furnish data to the Contractor. The data to be provided shall be identified in the clause.

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# Subpart 1545.3—Providing Government Property to Contractors

## 1545.309 Providing Government production and research property under special restrictions.

Government production and research property, other than foundations and similar improvements necessary for installing special tooling, special test equipment, or plant equipment, shall not be installed or constructed on land not owned by the Government in such fashion as to be nonseverable unless the contract under which the property is provided contains—

- (a) One of the provisions in FAR 45.309(a):
- (b) A requirement that the Government will have the right to abandon in place all nonseverable Government property provided; and
- (c) A requirement that the Government will not have any obligation to disassemble or remove the property or to restore or to rehabilitate the premises on which the property is located.

#### PART 1546—QUALITY ASSURANCE

#### Subpart 1546.7—Warranties

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1546.704 Authority for use of warranties.

AUTHORITY: Sec. 205(c), 63 Stat. 390, as amended, 40 U.S.C. 486(c); and 41 U.S.C. 418b.